

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1659A  
Seiji KATSUOKA et al. : **Confirmation No. 9589**  
Serial No. 10/712,373 : Group Art Unit 1792  
Filed November 14, 2003 : Examiner Brenda A. Lamb  
SUBSTRATE PROCESSING METHOD AND : **Mail Stop: AF**  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of June 24, 2009. The fee of \$490.00 is to be charged to Credit Card.

Respectfully submitted,

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